

## 2011-2012 Perkins Professional Development for Teachers

Again, for the 2011-2012 school year, each school district or LEA in Montana receiving Perkins monies must designate 10 percent (10%) of their total allocation for teacher professional development.

On the 2011-2012 Perkins E-grant application, this targeted spending must be reflected on the funding distribution page and budget pages. At least 10 percent (10%) of the proposed purchases **must** be for teacher professional development from an OPI CTE approved vendor/provider. Approved vendors include ACTE, MACTE, state and national teacher organizations as well as any accredited two- and four-year college in Montana or neighboring states. See below for the list of Preferred Providers. This list is also posted on the OPI Secondary CTE Web page under the Perkins Federal Funding tab located here: [http://www.opi.mt.gov/programs/CTAE/CTE.html#gpm1\\_10](http://www.opi.mt.gov/programs/CTAE/CTE.html#gpm1_10). If schools wish to provide their own in-service, please contact us.

Approval will be based on Perkins law. If you are unsure whether a provider *not* on this list qualifies, please contact Renee Harris by e-mail, [rharris3@mt.gov](mailto:rharris3@mt.gov) or by telephone, (406) 444-2059 or Brad King by e-mail, [bking2@mt.gov](mailto:bking2@mt.gov) or by telephone, (406) 444-4451. The additional funds may be used for registration costs, travel, hotels and substitute pay. Perkins reserve funds may **not** be used for meals or cost of tuition/credits (which benefits the individual teacher, not the students or program).

## **2011-2012 Perkins Professional Development Preferred Providers**

American Association of Family & Consumer Sciences – AAFCS  
American Welding Society - AWS  
Association for Skilled and Technical Sciences - ASTS  
Association of Technology Management and Applied Engineering - ATMAE  
Association of Career and Technical Education – ACTE  
Family, Career & Community Leaders of America – FCCLA  
Family Economics & Financial Education (FEFE)  
Johnson & Wales University  
Montana Association of Agriculture Educators - MAAE  
Montana Association of Career and Technical Educators - MACTE  
Montana Association of Family & Consumer Sciences – MAFCS  
Montana Association of Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance (MAHPERD)  
  
Montana Athletic Trainers' Association (MTATA)  
  
Montana Business Education Association (MBEA)  
  
Montana Industrial Technology Education Association - MITEA  
Montana Nurses Association (MNA)  
  
National Association of Agriculture Educators - NAAE  
  
National Association of Industrial & Technical Teacher Educators - NAITTE  
National Automotive Technicians Education Foundation - NATEF  
National Business Education Association (NBEA)  
National Center for Construction Education and Research -NCCER  
National Consortium for Health Science Education (NCHSE)  
National Institute for Automotive Service Excellence - ASE  
The National Institute for Metalworking Skills - NIMS  
National Kitchen & Bath Association (NKBA)  
National Robotics League - NRL  
ProStart  
ServSafe

Professional Development activities held at/part of regional or national Career and Technical Student Organization (CTSO) conferences.

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Montana Colleges and Universities

**MONTANA STATE UNIVERSITY CAMPUSES**  
(Bozeman, Billings, Havre and Great Falls)

[Montana State University-Bozeman](#)

[Montana State University-Billings](#)

- [Montana State University-Billings College of Technology](#)

[Montana State University-Northern](#)

[Montana State University-Great Falls College of Technology](#)

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MONTANA CAMPUSES**  
(Missoula, Helena, Butte and Dillon)

[The University of Montana-Missoula](#)

[The University of Montana-Missoula College of Technology](#)

[The University of Montana-Helena College of Technology](#)

[Montana Tech of The University of Montana](#)

- [Montana Tech of The University of Montana College of Technology](#)

[The University of Montana-Western](#)

**COMMUNITY COLLEGES**  
(Glendive, Kalispell and Miles City)

[Dawson Community College](#)

[Flathead Valley Community College](#)

[Miles Community College](#)

## **TRIBAL COLLEGES**

(Browning, Lame Deer, Harlem, Poplar, Crow Agency, Pablo and Box Elder)

[Blackfeet Community College](#)

[Chief Dull Knife College](#)

[Fort Belknap College](#)

[Fort Peck Community College](#)

[Little Big Horn College](#)

[Salish Kootenai College](#)

## **INDEPENDENT COLLEGES**

(Helena, Great Falls, Billings)

[Carroll College](#)

[University of Great Falls](#)

[Rocky Mountain College](#)

[Stone Child College](#)